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**Subject:** Microsoft Settlement

It is way past time to settle something that should not have been investegated in the first place.

Microsoft's competiters are trying to get the gov. to do something they couldn't do. Drive them out of business. We the consumer, are just fine with microsoft. If Microsoft wants to give me somthing for free in their softwar bundle then I am all for it.

The settlement that was negotiated was MORE than fair. As a matter a fact it was to harsh and never should have been in the first place. The states are always crying that they don't have enough money in their budgets, well try spending it for something worth while. They have spect along with the feduarl gov. more money than we spent getting Binladen. That is a shame. Bill gates is not the bad guy here.

It is hard for me to express my anger with all governments on this subjetct in an e-mail. Feel free to call mae at 1-870-258-3557.

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